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PATENT
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	Examiner: THOMAS, David
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ROMMENS, J. et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1637
)	
Serial No.: 10/526,429)	Docket No.: 8092-002-US
)	
Filed: November 2, 2005)	
)	
For: DIAGNOSIS OF SHWACHMAN-)	
DIAMOND SYNDROME)	

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR §1.84(a)(2)

Mail Stop:
Honorable Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

Applicant is requesting the Office to accept color drawings in the present application. Color drawings are necessary in the present application, as one figure (Figure 2) describes sequencing and alignment programs which are color-coded according to the specific nucleotide being sequenced. There is no other way to readily convey the information to one of skill in the art, as it is customary in this field to represent sequencing by color. Accordingly, Applicant requests the Office to accept the present Petition under 37 CFR §1.84(a)(2).

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Applicant is filing this Petition along with the fee required under 37 CFR §1.17(h) and three (3) color copies of the subject Figure 2. Applicant has amended the specification to include the relevant language required under 37 CFR §1.84 by way of amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

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